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FOR: IONIC LIQUIDS AS SOLVENTS IN HEADSPACE GAS
CHROMATOGRAPHY

MS: Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 17, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.